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Inquiries Regarding the Requirements Coming in From Over the World.

VALDEZ HAS ENTERED RACE FOR PRESIDENCY

DANAMA, May 9.—Since announce ably will be ready for through

A PROMINENT HOSTESS



COUNTESS OF ANCASTER.

ONDON, Eng., May 9.-Among the prominent town hostesses this year will be the counters of Ancaster, who was before her marriage Miss Eloise
Breese. Already she has a fine reputation as a country entertainer. She is
even more successful as head of the household in the country than in the town,
for she has an extraordinary knowledge of all things pertaining to country life.

Drummond castle is one on the finest residences in the kingdom. Lady Ancaster than the country life. ter wishes to spend more time there. She, or the earl, have refused a tempting

Their guests have recently included grand duke Michael, counters Terby, lady Essex, lady Randolph Churchill, the marquis of Soverall, lady Ripon, the Dufrerans, the duchess of Mariborough, prince Kinsky and princess Dolgorouki.

England Is Worried Over Scarcity of Meat Supply

> Ten U.S. Army Officers Detailed to Watch European Methods Closely.

THIS COUNTRY IS FAVORED BY FRENCH

DARIS, France, May 9.—The more ment of American froms to Mex-too brings to notice the fact that is United States army officers, represeating all branches of the service are on duty in France for instruction in French military, training. They are here by permission of the French government, given about request of the Inited States and are welcomed in the friendliest spirit. It appears to be the friendliest spirit. If appears to be the friendliest spirit in the friendliest spirit in the friendliest spirit. Franch compared to have seen and from the friendliest spirit in the friendl

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Occasionally an English officer or officers from the Balkun and other amaries states have had permission to serve with one or another of the french regiments, but it would seem that no foreign army, not even the Russian, has during this generation had such asportunities to know the French military system as the Americans now have.

Capt. W. A. Castle is in an intantry regiment at Orleans; Capt. N. Margettes and Lieut. A. T. Bushop with other regiments at Chalons sur Marne; Lieut. E. T. Boyd with the dragooms at Funkilihileau; Lieut. W. T. Martin at the cavalry school at Sammur. Capt. E. H. Pope in the French quarter-manifers school and Capt. Frank Parker at the War college.

Capt. Morton Henry, of the American quartermasters of division, and Lieut. E. Greble and Lieut. Honeycutt of the artillary, have lust arrived to replace three others are expected. The three latter do not get into the French service until October. In the meaning they are required to live in French families and perfect their knowledge of French.

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training in the desper problems of straining.
An arm chair has been placed for Capit Patker apart from the other of ficers and market the locturer's platform so that the American goest may have a better chance than anyone class to follow the exposition of a subject and see the diagrams. The work to the War college is severe and is from a n. m. to a p. m. Part of it consists to have the light a per lattifieth of France, the locturer of the day exclusions the operations of the troops that troop part.

COUNTESS OF ANCASTER Will Give Son Wonderful Ball Preceding Anniversary

Lady Cheylesmere, Former American Girl, to Entertain in London.

Cotillion to Feature Dance. With at Least One Royal Guest Participating.

ONION, Eug., May 3.—Lady Chey-letmore, whose mother is Mrs. Francis Ormond French, of New

tedate cotillion. There will be futurist futures and gifts and the new regetable figures which have been promisent at winter parties. Several nest-enest will entertain dinner parties before the dwarf.

Bride and Groom in Hostile Camps; Banquet Forgot as Battle Rages.

MONOCLED CANDIDATE AND BRIDE VICTORS

Ills, France, May 9.—Political fervor in France manifests itself in extraordinary ways, as the mayor of wedding day of the worthy man's son the three local candidates at the gen-eral election were invited as honored

With Crude Instruments Savage Bedouins Perform Difficult Operations

Difficult Operations

London, Eng., May 2.—Without annesthesia or modern instruments, native surgeous among the Bedouing of the Algerian hinterland into become as skilful that they do not heartate to underlake operations as delicate as trepanning. This report is brength by H. Belton-Simpon, who, accompanied by his wife, has just returned from a metantific expedition among these almost anknown nomadic tribes of the desert. The explorer and his wife ired roots to the training the hatters and established the closest relations with the ruling shelks of region willages.

They found that surgery had grown to be a really skilled profession. Hylron-Simpono was lacky enough to come into contact with a friendly Arabica physician who arranged a most intercept in who arranged a most intercept in the collected a reason of intercepting information and a valuable collection of matter surgical instruments.

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Unlike Pompelt which was a place of his they contributed in the properties of the city are American discovered at Osfra, had most of the mass were such as would have been lightly to the present been discovered at Osfra, had most of the case in a boy was observed on for 15 or the removal of a small place it. The operation was succession, the patient recovered Besides of the patient recovered Residue. am of intercating information and a lumble collection of mitive surgical strangents. Their saws, lancets and probes are the crudest design, but prove highly fective in the hands of their native scrators. The only treating these thirs surgicous have is instruction on their fathers. Very few of them walls to read or write. Trepanning operations are probably one common in this country than synthere clae in the world because of a frequency with which the natives world to stone throwing in a fight, as one of an anaestheire is sucknown at most of an anaestheire is sucknown in Histon-Simpson now one rane in her a boy was operated on for 15 and the patient recovered. Healden seem that the proposition of a small place whill. The operation was successible in the patient recovered. Healden recent in natives claim to have discreted to care in the principal or the removal of a small place.



Build Ocean Liners Of Porcelain Englishman Fathers Daring Scheme

St. Petersburg, Russia, May 9.—The

American merchants into the northern

Manchuria trade are causing comsider-

Women of London Are American Merchants Are Showing Unusual Liking Dominating Manchurian For Blooded Pet Dogs Trade; Russia Alarmed

For Blooded Pet Dogs

London, Eng., May 2.—The pet dog is more popular than ever among smart women this senson. Last year there was some talk of the cat ousting milady's canine favorites and several were seen in the park on leads? But this year, as far as present indications show, doggie reigns supreme.

The favorites breeds are the tiny Torkshire terrier and the Pekincse-Poms not being nearly so popular as they were. There is at least one well known dog shop in the west end where "manicuring, shampooing, clipping and grooming, are made a speciality of, and it excites reflection to see in the morning a long line of carriages and autos bringing the pampered crustures to have their toilette performed. Small monkeys as pets are also quite popular with a lot of women new, but these are not at all easy to rear, and are distinctly dangerous and unpleasant to any but their actual owners. No London society woman, however, has yet copied the example of the famous Freuch dancer, who keeps a small pile, or of the still more famous Parinian actress who at one time had a penchant for young leopards.

Ancient Ostia Will Be

Gigantic Commercial Crash in Paris Caused by a Merchant's Wife.

TURNED HUSBAND AGAINST BROTHERS

BERLIN, Germany, May 2.—The re-munes behing the gigantic failure of the Wolf Werthelm department stores, limited, was revealed today. It is the story of the attempted revenge of a once wenithy and brilliantly am-

She is Frau Gertrod Pinkus-Wer-theim, wife of Henry Wolf Wertheim, founder of the firm, and before her marriage was a novellst and a satirist under the name of "Truth."

will be unable to compete with thous will be unable to compete with those of America.

The chief rause of anxiety is the enormous supplies of corn and flour, which have been shipped from America into Manchuria recently, its quality being superior to that of Russia and its price much lower. This is hitting the milling trade of Kharbin particularly hard, as it is entirely in the hands of Russian millers who are quite unable to compete with the American products and are consequently on the brink of ruin.

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Is feared that if Eugelia circles here. It is feared that if Eugelia merchants do not wake up Russian commercial relations with that country will be entirely squeezed out. The keyal support given by Washington to American citizens completely flustian. The Meacon their trade with the result that it fairs, while is seriously threatening a very short time Russian products.

'DEAD' MAN IN COFFIN TRAPS WAYWARD WIFE

BERLIN, Germany, May 9.—An amazing trap laid by a suspicious husband who "died" in order to gain evidence of his wife's infidelity, has been disclosed in a divorce case at Stockholm, accounts of which have just reached

Petitioning for a divorce, Karl Petersen, a wealthy merchant, fold the court how, as he lay in his coffin, pretending to be dead, he heard his wife, Karin,

Important Roman Scaport confess her love for another man. He was granted a separation.

*I decided," he said, "to play a trick upon her and see whether her love for me would proclaim itself if she thought I was dead, or whether she would then declare her affection for somebody else. My doctor and solicitor both promised

to help me in the scheme.

"On some pretext I want to my country house, and soon after I got there the doctor sent a message to my wife saying that I had been taken ill suddenly and was dying. Karin came at once and pretended to be distressed. I felt, however, that her grief was insincere, and at midnight, when the doctor, in accordance with a second of the second

with our arrangement, pronounced my life to be extinct I still thought that her sobs were theatrical. "Shortly after my death the solicitor, also in accordance with the arrange

ment, arrived at the house and made known the contents of my will to my widow, telling her that all my property had been left to her.
"A cuffin was brought to the house and I was placed in it and carried down

to the room where the telephone was. No sooner had the doctor and the selicitor left than my wife entered the room and rang up a man, one of my oldest friends.

"I have splendid news," she told him, 'my manatroom husband is, at last, dead. I am free; he has left me all him money, and I shall still love you. Will

"My treacherous friend duly arrived. I had had the coffin moved out into the entrance hall, and, as my wife went to greet the men I saw and heard her kiss him many times. Then it was that with one teap from the cottin I came to life and moved towards the precious couple. Karin fainted and her companian

ENGLAND'S DRINK BILL INCREASES \$25,000,000

ONDON, Eng. May 2.—The drink it may be assumed that among the bill of the United Kingdom for the past year shows an increase of \$25,000,000. The United Kingdom.

Death Rate is High. of \$35,000,000. The United Kingdom alliance, whose mission is to decrease the connumption of alcoholic liquors, makes this report, and singests that the increase in probably due to unpresedented presperity, for the kingdom had never experienced a greater wage bill. The encotrasing feature, accolerated by the use of alcohol. Dr. which attained its maximum during similar trade revivals in 1874 and 1875.

A discouraging Lesture is the increase in the consumption of spirits, which lesses with an increase of 1,261, which lesses with an increase of a print, which lesses with an increase of a print, which lesses with an increase of a consumption of spirits, which lesses with an increase of a feet he increase in the consumption of spirits, which lesses with an increase of a feet he increase in the consumption of spirits, which lesses with an increase of a feet he increase in the consumption of spirits, which is a feet of the suicides in the use of alcoholic stimulants.

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POLITICIAN CAMPAIGNS WITH CORSETS; JAILED

Paris, France, May 9.—Another and more serious phase of the recent elections has been disclosed by the arrest of M. Raymond Bisson, an independent candidate at Versailles, following complaint by a manufacturer of corsets in Paris. For over a year the business man had been astonished a tithe way in which whole stocks of corsets had disappeared from his warehouse at regular intervals, and at the fact that supplies of his merchandise sent in response to provincial orders arrived at their destination considerably impaired as to quantity.

Investigation by the police followed, and in consequence Bisson, who was a aort of head overseer at the factory, found himself in juil. It is indeed humorously suggested that the cause of the man's downfall has been an attempt to entity suggested that the table of Mr. Perker at the Entansville election. That worthy, it will be recalled gave away umbrellas to the wives of voters in the division. M. Bisson, so the story goes, has been trying to do better still—to carry on a political propaganda that should be also financially profitable.

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It seems indeed that for a long while past M. Bisson and allies of his have been vending beautiful new corsets worth \$5 to members of the fair sex for 20 cents. As a political measure it would undoubtedly have been a most profitable ides, but the business became such a habit with M. Bisson that he extended his eperations outside his own constituency. It may be that some political opponent enraged at the "poaching" actually gave him away,